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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Serial No.:	10/082,498	Group Art Unit:	3621
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Title:	METHOD AND SYSTEM TO PROVIDE SECURE KEY SELECTION USING A SECURE DEVICE IN A WATERCRYPTING ENVIRONMENT		

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

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This responds to the Office Action mailed on January 13, 2006. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a one-month extension of the period for responding to the Office Action, thereby moving the deadline for response from April 13, 2006 to May 15, 2006.